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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Communication of *July 17, 2006*, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on *page 2* of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on *page 25* of this paper.

Remarks begin on *page 37* of this paper.

Reconsideration of this application in light of the foregoing is respectfully requested.